## Abstract

The invention provides a method for computer-implemented management of a project using project management software. The project is defined by a series of development phases wherein each development phase of the project must be evaluated by

5    one or more predetermined standards. Each of the standards defines a set of quality assurance steps to be followed in order to achieve compliance with the standard for each phase. Such a method includes the steps of selecting one of the development phases, displaying a reporting screen containing reporting instructions for the selected development phase, which instructions relate to compliance with the quality assurance steps for that phase

10    according to at least one of the standards, inputting reporting information concerning the selected development phase, and saving the reported information concerning the selected development phase. The instructions on the reporting screen will usually ask if one or more documents relating to compliance with one or more of the quality assurance steps for that phase were completed. The step of saving the reporting information may comprise

15    printing it out, transmitting it to a recipient such as a quality assurance entity, or saving it to a data storage medium for later access.